

## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

## **REGION IX**

## 75 Hawthorne Street San Francisco, CA 94105-3901

December 13, 2010

In Reply

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Mr. Lain James, Director of Operations Knauf Insulation GmbH One Knauf Drive Shelbyville, IN 46176

Subject: Administrative Amendment to the Knauf Insulation PSD Permit

Dear Mr. James:

This letter is in response to your June 11, 2010 letter requesting an administrative amendment to the Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) permit issued to the Knauf Insulation facility in Shasta Lake, California. The PSD permit was issued on March 14, 2000, and amended on May 11, 2006 and May 7, 2007.

You requested EPA to change the minimum pressure drop in permit conditions 42 and 46 from 10 to 3 inches of water column for the wet electrostatic precipitator. No other changes were requested. Also, the requested change is not expected to result in any air pollutant increases.

We have reviewed your request and determined that the permit amendments requested are justified, administrative in nature and will have no impact on emissions or air quality. For this reason, the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is granting your request for an administrative amendment which is not subject to public notice and review requirements.

Therefore, EPA hereby amends the permit as requested. Enclosed is the amended PSD permit. This amended permit is effective immediately.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Shaheerah Kelly of the Permits Office at (415) 947-4156 or <u>kelly.shaheerah@epa.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

Deborah Jordan

Director, Air Division

## Enclosure

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